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WOLFFE et al. Group Art Unit: 1636

Serial No.: 10/084,826 Confirmation No.: 4340

Filing Date: October 24, 2001 Customer No.: 20855

Title: TARGETED MODIFICATION OF

CHROMATIN STRUCTURE

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Dear Sirs:

Transmitted herewith for filing, please find the following documents:

- Petition Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.10(C) to Accord Filing Date (2 pages) <u>X</u>
- A copy of the Title Page with a signed Express Mail Certificate (1 page) <u>X</u>
- A copy of the Docket Log for October 24, 2001 (1 page) \mathbf{X}_{-}
- A copy of the Express Mail label (1 page) <u>X</u>
- A copy of the Express Mail Corporate Account (1 page) <u>X</u>
- A check in the amount of \$130.00 <u>X</u>
- Return receipt postcard <u>X</u>

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17, and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-1648.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: May 2, 2005

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Dear Sirs:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.10(c), Applicants petition to be accorded the filing date as of the date-in on the Express Mail label, namely October 24, 2001.

The attached documents indicate that the above-referenced application was filed on October 24, 2001 by Express Mail. However, at the time following September 11, 2001, the mail to the Patent Office was severely disrupted and the return receipt postcard indicating a filing date of February 24, 2002 and serial number 10/084,826 was received on March 12, 2002. Applicants submitted a Request For Corrected Filing Date on March 25, 2002. A Second Request For Corrected Filing Date was submitted on April 4, 2003. In the Office Action mailed on January 21, 2005, the Examiner indicated repeated requests for corrected filing receipts would not be considered and that the instant petition was required.

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Accordingly, as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.10(c)(1)-(3), Applicants

(1) have filed this petition promptly upon the Examiner's instructions that such a petition was required and repeated requests for Corrected Filing Receipts to change the filing date would not be accepted;

(2) have attached true copies of Title Page with a signed Express Mail Certificate, a copy of the Docket Log for October 24, 2001, along with copies of the Express Mail label and Express Mail Corporate Account. These documents establish that the application was deposited in Express Mail on October 24, 2001; and

(3) have enclosed a true copy of the Express Mail mailing Label including date-in stamp of October 24, 2001.

Applicants have attached a check for the Petition fee of \$130.00. However, because the application is entitled to the filing date of October 24, 2001, Applicants request that the \$130.00 petition fee be refunded.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 which may be required by this paper, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-1648.

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claiming priority to 09/844,508 filed April 27, 2001, which claims the benefit of 60/200,590 filed April 28, 2000, and of 60/228,523 filed August 28, 2000.

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